

THIRTY FIRST YEAR

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HANDING IT TO

THE COURIER.
(Editorial.)

The Stanford Interior Journal in its Tuesday's issue takes a whack at the editor of the Courier Journal. After charging Judge Bingham with the defeat of the Democratic ticket in Louisville last year the statement follows:—"Anyhow, there is a suspicion among the loyal Democrats that there is too much of a Gordian knot binding the millionaire owner of the C. J. and the millionaire owner of the Republican party in Kentucky together. Tom Rhea got in bad with Judge Bingham's papers last fall when he told the simple truth about A. T. Hurt, the Indiana immigrant who has taken over the Republican party of Kentucky by means of his barrel."

The uncalled for attack at the time by Judge Bingham's papers upon a Democratic Senator is bringing forth resentment all over the state from democrats. His sallies at Senator Stanley don't hurt bad because the people generally believe that had the Senator offered him the seat in the U. S. Senate made vacant by the death of the lamented Senator James he would have at this time had a very different view of the Junior Senator. Be that as it may, the Democrats of Kentucky are not yet in the humor to take orders from Mr. Bingham, for it is still in the memory of the faithful democrats of the state that the Editor of the C. J. was once a candidate upon the Republican ticket in Louisville for Judge of the Court of Appeals and was defeated and when Democratic leaders look so hideous to him, all of us think he may be viewing them through his old republican specks. Cox of Ohio will get the instructed vote at the conventions Saturday and all the vituperation of the Courier Journal and Times will have been for naught.

Directors Meeting.

A meeting of the directors of the Garrard Tobacco Warehouse Company is called for Friday April 30th, and a full attendance of all directors is earnestly urged.

Good Cow Sale.

The cow sale conducted by Pruner and Guines, of Knoxville, was one of the best held in the county in years. About twenty-five head were sold that brought an average of \$140. a head.

Small Place Sells.

The 10½ acre tract belonging to Arthur Robinson and located on Slets Branch, was sold by Master Commissioner in front of the court house door last Monday and brought \$1101.00. Mr. Thomas Bourne was the purchaser.

Stockholders Meeting.

Every stockholder who has subscribed for stock in the Masonic Building Association, are requested to meet in the lodge rooms of the order this evening at 7:30 o'clock.

This is a very important meeting and all stockholders are urged to be present.

Serious Charge.

Hiram Wiley, indicted by the recent grand jury for carnally knowing a woman under 16 years of age, was landed in the local jail last week, having been arrested in Indiana. Sheriff Walker soon had him apprehended and went for him with the above result.

Will Probated.

The last will and testament of Mrs. Eliza A. Todd, was probated before Judge Stapp last Monday. It was dated February 27th, 1919, and in it she asks that after all just debts are paid that her personal and real property be sold and money divided between her children and the legal heirs of deceased children.

Mr. J. L. Gay of Berea, is made executor and gives him the right to convey title to all her real estate.

SCHOOL ELECTION

Saturday, May 1st.

TO THE VOTERS OF THE LANCASTER GRADED SCHOOL DISTRICT.

The friends and supporters of W. S. Carrier, candidate for trustee in the Lancaster Graded School District, to succeed Henley V. Bastin wish to call attention of the public that this election will be held next Saturday between the hours of one and five o'clock, and that both men and women over twenty-one years old who reside in this district have the right to vote in this election. We further call attention to the fact that Mr. Carrier is pledged to an economical administration of the affairs of the school and is opposed to the further raising of taxes in the district unless it should become absolutely necessary for the proper conduct of the school. And is opposed to extending this school boundary to a five mile limit as has been proposed and talked of, and is in favor of giving to the public information by publication of the manner and for what purposes the moneys of the district are being expended. Mr. Carrier also believes, in rotation in office, and favors the election of a new trustee every year.

We consider this an important election since the recent agitation to extend the school district over five miles from the city and increase the taxes to pay the necessary expense to maintain the school under the conditions that such an extension would bring about. The men and women of the district who are legal voters are urged to come out next Saturday afternoon and vote for Mr. Carrier.

County Convention
Next Saturday.

If you are affiliated with the Democratic party or intend to espouse its cause, you should by all means attend the democratic county convention here next Saturday. The mass convention will be held at the Court house and will be called to order by the county chairman at two o'clock. Garrard county is entitled to thirteen delegates, who will be chosen to attend the State convention which will be held in Louisville, next Tuesday, May 4th.

Every democrat in the county should be on hand and take a part in this convention Saturday.

Special Service
At Baptist Church

Sunday is the annual GO TO SUNDAY SCHOOL DAY, and a special service has been arranged for the day. It is expected that every member of our S. S. and church will be present for this service, which will begin promptly at 10 o'clock.

The program consists of special songs and talks, reading of the Church Covenant, and a roll-call of members. The church building is being especially decorated for the service, and we assure all of our members that this is going to be one of the most interesting, most helpful, and most important services we have ever had. We are expecting all of you. —C. D. Strother.

Miss Hays Now
Postmaster.

Miss Emma Hays, whose appointment as postmaster for Stanford was told of in these columns some weeks ago, received her commission Thursday and this morning she took charge of the office. Postmaster George L. Penny having transferred the business to her at a late hour last night. The Interior Journal, while congratulating Miss Hays on entering upon her important work, regrets to see Mr. Penny go out. He has made a most accommodating official and has placed this paper and its editor under lasting obligations to him. There will likely be several changes in the personnel of the office force, but about that this paper will tell later. —Interior Journal.

Model Subdivision

G. T. Wallace and Company of Lexington, are advertising in this issue the sale of about 40 lots that will be offered the hungry public on May 12th. The lots will be in a subdivision of the Dickerson property on Hill Court, where there lies about ten acres admirably located and ideally situated for some choice building lots. Lots of this character are in much demand in Lancaster and we predict that the bidding will be spirited. Col. W. H. Mathews of Greensboro, N. C. will be on the block that day. Music and souvenirs will also flow freely on that day. Prepare to attend.

OVER THE TOP

Goes The Salvation
Army Drive.

The Salvation Army Home Service Campaign in Garrard County for funds to carry on its work in this country proved to be a success as the generous people of the town and country responded liberally to the appeal of this great organization.

The features of the day included a concert in the Park by the Lancaster Band, which was enjoyed by the great crowd; a short and stirring address by Judge Lewis Walker and the efforts of the following workers for the fund and it can be said that they are all prize winners—

Mrs. W. B. Burton,
Miss Shelby Mason,
Mrs. Lewis Landrum,
Miss Katie Barnes Dickerson,
Miss Minnie Mae Robinson.

Although over the top the following workers in the Bryansville and Paint Lick districts intend to add much to the fund Saturday, May 1st. Miss Zillah Dawes, Mrs. J. C. Williams, Mrs. Richard Brown, Mrs. R. I. Burton.

Mrs. Rice Woods, Mrs. Dave Hervey, Mrs. Harry Francis and Miss Fannie Dowden.

WE ARE READY

And Anxious to Co-operate.

The city of Lancaster sent a committee to Danville last week to see if it could elicit any information on the question of the L. and N. Railroad coming into Danville. The Committee was composed of Messrs Farrar, Joseph, Marksbury and Bastin, all live ones. They want the road to continue over to Lancaster and Danville people all want this physical connection between the two places. Lancaster stands ready to do her part in every worthy movement and people of this character are the ones we want as our neighbors. Let both town and counties go in together and get this double track route.—Danville Advocate.

See Mounts' ad for buggies and harness.

School Census.

Taking of the Lancaster Graded and High School census has just been completed and shows 401 pupils within the district in the school age. This is an increase of about 25 since last years census was taken.

A Happy Birthday.

The celebration of the seventy-second birthday last Sunday of Mrs. G. R. Adkinson, at her home, was one of the happiest events of the season in that neighborhood.

This dear lady is the mother of seventeen children, eleven of whom are living and all married. Only three out of the eleven were absent, those being, Mrs. Mitch Lane of Bryansville, and her two sons living in Missouri. Mrs. Adkinson is the grand-mother of 54 children, twenty of them being present last Sunday.

Those who were present and enjoyed so thoroughly the delightful occasion were: Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Prewitt, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Long, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Huffman, Mr. and Mrs. David Prewitt, Mr. and Mrs. Thompson Broadus, Mrs. Rice Logan, Mrs. Vernon Jones, Mrs. J. H. Posey, Mrs. Howard Logan, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Huffman, Mrs. M. C. Jones, Mr. Taylor Lane, Misses Grave and Lillie V. Lane and Master Arble Ray.

A delightful dinner was served the welcome guests and all left wishing for the mother many more such happy birthdays.

WARNING.

We want to warn our friends of the approaching danger of a coal shortage. Should we have a summer strike, which those who ought to know, think we will—together with the shortage of cars, we would go into next winter bare of coal. We urge you to buy at once your winter coal and not wait until July or August as you have been doing, for we believe you will be unable to get it at that time, and if you do, it is our opinion will be higher.

This may not appeal to you coming from a dealer, but when fall and winter comes and you can not get coal don't blame us for not having warned you. We believe what we have stated to be true and in stronger terms than we have stated it.

Very truly,
Garrard Milling Co.

COL. FRANK L. RIPPY

Greeted By Many Here
Last Monday.

Denies It Is A "Wet-Dry Fight."

Col. Frank L. Rippy, of Lawrenceburg, Ky., candidate for the democratic nomination for Congress in this the Eighth District, was in Lancaster last Monday and was warmly greeted by his many admirers in this county and many who were here from adjoining counties. Col. Rippy has a warm handshake for everyone, which is quite an asset, while mingling with the constituents of the district, this happy faculty alone drawing many to him personally.

Denies Wet-Dry Fight.
Not until he reached Lancaster, had he read the article in the Lexington Leader, which article claims that the fight for the democratic nomination is a wet-dry fight and that Col. Rippy is to take the wet end of it.

When shown the article by a representative of the Record, Col. Rippy denied most emphatically that it is to be such an issue and at the same time denied most vigorously, that he has ever made the statement, "that he is for amendment or repeal of the Volstead prohibition law, so as to permit the manufacture and sale of light wines and beer." "The liquor question" said Col. Rippy, "has been settled by Federal Amendment and is not an issue in this race and if brought into it will be without my consent or approval."

Ex-Service Men

Attention.

Next Thursday night the 6th of May will be the next regular meeting night of the American Legion to be held at the Police Court Room in Lancaster, Ky., promptly at 7:30 P. M.

This will be a very important meeting and all Ex-Service men are asked to come, if you are not a member you can join this very night.

The American Legion is one of the strongest organizations ever formed and is gaining strength right along. Show your friends that you are 100 per cent American, by being a Legionaire.

Remember this that no SLACKER, DRAFT EVADER, or man who has received a DISHONORABLE DISCHARGE is eligible to this organization.

If you Mr. Service Man was in the services of your Country while your FRIENDS stayed at home show them what you are and what you stand for by being a member of the American Legion.

Remember the Legion of this Post meets Thursday night, May 6th, 1920 at 7:30 P. M. promptly, at the Police Court Room in Lancaster.

LEGIONAIRES bring an ex-Service man with you.

Respectfully,
Heidal Sanford Post No. 35.

Buick Company

Consolidates.

We regret to announce that Mr. L. B. Conn has decided to move back to Danville, having bought an interest in the Danville Buick Company, which he recently sold, and later moved with his family to this city. The Danville Messenger in telling of the consolidation, says:

"Of course Mr. Conn will continue to sell the Buick car. With Messrs. L. F. Steele and Roy Anderson, who have already established a reputation for square dealings, he will incorporate. Mr. Conn will have charge of the garage and service department. Mr. Steele will be sales manager and Mr. Anderson will be office manager. They will devote much of their efforts to the Buick car and will enlarge the service department by increasing the supply of parts and repairs. Their territory will be Boyle, Lincoln and Garrard counties. They will also sell the Franklin car and Reo trucks. The business will continue as the Danville Buick Company, and with such men at the helm as L. B. Conn, L. F. Steele and Roy Anderson their business should grow as the proverbial green bay tree. Really, their success is already assured."

New Firm.

In this issue will be found the advertisement of Aldridge and Marsee, composed of Roger Aldridge and Will Marsee, who have just formed a partnership and will do business at the Central Garage. These are both popular boys and are handling some popular cars, which they will be pleased to show you at any time. Give them a call.

BABY DAY

At Christian Church
Sunday School Next
Sunday.

Special exercises will mark Go-To-Sunday School Day at the Christian Sunday School next Sunday. That day will be Baby Day—the time when the mothers and fathers of all the babies on the Cradle Roll are asked to bring the babies to Sunday School.

In celebration of the baby guests special songs, etc by the pupils of the Beginners' and Primary Departments will be given under the efficient leadership of Mrs. L. G. Davidson, the Primary Superintendent. Little children singing songs about a real baby in a real cradle will make a beautiful scene. All Cradle Roll parents are urged to bring their babies without fail. A hearty welcome will also be extended to all others who may come. Visitors will find classes for all and competent teachers. Come next Sunday. Help that much in a good thing even if you do not come any more. But it would be far better to come then and then keep on coming. Here's hoping you will do the latter.

NOTICE

To the Citizens of Lancaster, Ky.

Honorable Mayor, City Council and People of Lancaster, Ky:—

Whereas, the franchise now held by us is void by reason of being in conflict with the State Constitution, and

Whereas, we have no franchise for operating our plant in the City of Lancaster, Ky., because the same is void as aforesaid, the City Council of the City of Lancaster, Ky., and the public generally are hereby notified that we will on August 1st, 1920, or as soon thereafter as practical, move all our poles and electrical equipment from the streets of the city of Lancaster, Ky.

This notice is given as a legal notice, as we understand that reasonable notice must be given before we can remove said property and discontinue said plant.

We are willing to do anything we can to co-operate with the city in securing a franchise for the purpose of furnishing electric light and power to the citizens of the city, but we can not continue it further without expensive additional equipment, and this we can not do at the present rates, and without a legal franchise protecting us in our rights.

Done this April 26th, 1920.
Respectfully submitted,
BASTIN BROTHERS.
By H. V. Bastin.

Gilbert Opens

Campaign.

Next Monday, Judge Ralph Gilbert, will open his campaign in Harrodsburg, for the Democratic nomination for Congress from this district. He asks that both of his opponents be on hand and a division of time will be granted them.

Serious Situation.

The paper situation is in such a condition at present, it has the newspaper publishers up in the air, and it begins to look as if some of us will be out of business, if the conditions are not relieved soon. The Record sent in an order for two tons of news print last week, to one of the largest houses in the country and their reply was anything but encouraging, saying they had not one bit of news in stock and no prospects of any before July 1st. It is no longer a question of price but its a question of getting the paper. We may be forced soon to cut down our paper to an eight page one and ask the indulgence of our patrons and advertisers, until we can get relief. The current price now is 16 cents a pound, while only a few years ago it was bought for two cents a pound.

The American government and private bankers have extended credits to European countries amounting to about eighteen billion dollars. And congress says it doesn't know how it is going to raise the money to pay a small bonus to our former service men.

In the good old days a man did a day's work and received a day's pay, and went home and enjoyed himself until work time the next day. But not so today. A fellow does half a day's work, collects one or two days pay, and spends the rest of his time wondering how he can make more and do less.

GARRARD COUNTY

Must Do Her Share In
Reaching The Financial Goal For The
Disciples' World
Movement.

Drive Begins May 9th.

The Disciples' World Movement is gaining momentum with the passing of the weeks. Interest in the Movement has been manifested from the beginning. Enthusiasm is now being aroused; and as the time for the great drive draws near confidence grows apace. The task is large, even Herculean, and the time for preparation has been only too short; but the seemingly impossible has been accomplished many times within the last few years. There is, therefore, no occasion for discouragement in this case.

The Disciples were pioneers among religious bodies in asking millions for the Master. Their Men and Millions Movement was the first of its kind. But the other religious bodies since then have set far larger goals and have reached them finely. The Disciples are in fact about the last of the great religious communions to formulate and start an adequate Post-War Program.

Their goal, in a financial way, is Sixty Millions (\$60,000,000) within the next five years for missionary, benevolent and educational purposes. Of this amount Kentucky has been asked to raise Six Million (\$6,000,000) or \$1,200,000 a year for five years. This amount will be divided 50-50 between the general missionary and benevolent interests and the educational work, except when designations are made by the donors.

It may seem to many that the amount asked is large and the time for preparation altogether too short. It is conceded that this is all true. But in this connection it must be remembered that the exigency among the Disciples is such that something must be done before another year passes; but if anything is done this year it must be done this spring; for the presidential campaign comes on in the fall and Disciples are interested in politics as well as other folk. It is true also that it is not always well to mix politics and religion.

But it may be asked: What is the urgency? The answer can be given in a few words.

The cost of operation of orphanages, homes for the aged etc, has increased as has the cost of living generally. The cost of missionary work at home and abroad has increased enormously within the last few years. Larger offerings must be made or the work will have perforce to be greatly curtailed and many missionaries called home. That would be unthinkable in view of the needs of the world and the opportunities for service with which the church is confronted in America and over the whole world.

The situation among the educational institutions of the Disciples is even more distressing. A shortage of religious leaders exists. The colleges are fundamental to the preparation of leaders. But colleges are dependent almost altogether on the income from endowments for the expenses of operation. The rate of interest on endowment funds, however, has not increased since the war. Everything else has increased many fold: the cost of operation and the living expenses of the professors. Add to the above conditions the fact that Disciple colleges are very inadequately endowed and it will be realized that something heroic must be done or many Disciple colleges will have to close their doors.

Similar conditions prevail very largely among all other religious bodies. That is why these other religious peoples have put on their great forward movements and have reached their financial goals so enthusiastically. It is believed that like success will come to the Disciples and especially that Garrard County will do her part and do it joyfully.

A good organization has been effected in this county. James A. Beasley is County Director. Campaign Managers for each congregation have been chosen in practically every congregation. Minute Men will be selected and sent into every congregation and Sunday School. Canvassing Teams will be chosen and drilled for their work. And it is confidently believed that by the end of the week of the Drive, May 9-16, Garrard's quota will be raised if not exceeded.